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- (X) Second Preliminary Amendment in 4 pages.
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Dear Sir:

I, Koji Sode, am the depositor of *Burkholderia cepacia* KS1. *Burkholderia cepacia* KS1 strain was deposited at the International Patent Organism Depository, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (Tsukuba Central 6, 1-1, Higashi 1-Chome, Tsukuba-shi, Ibaraki-ken, 305-8566, Japan) which is an International Depository Authority recognized under the Budapest Treaty. I declare that the *Burkholderia cepacia* KS1 strain has been deposited under the Budapest Treaty on September 25, 2000 under accession no. FERM BP-7306 and further that:

- (a) during the pendency of this application, access to the deposited strain will be afforded to the Commissioner upon request;
- (b) the strain will be irrevocably and without restriction or condition released to the public upon the issuance of a patent;
- (c) the deposit will be replaced if it should ever become inviable.

Dated: March 1, 2006

By: 早出 広司  
Koji Sode